

True Hawaiian Way

By Keola Beamer

Those old days down by the beach, when I was only just a boy
Well, those old songs did sound so sweet, keeping time with our bare feet
Each and every day I can feel your true Hawaiian way, each and every day, I can
feel your true Hawaiian way.

And with every morning's light, you stand for what you know is right
When times are hard and full of change, the love within your heart remains
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Chorus: True Hawaiian way, flying like an *'iwa* bird, above the mountains so high
True Hawaiian way, shining in the setting sun and sparkling on the ocean
True Hawaiian way, there's a feeling in your soul, given by the sweet Kona wind
True Hawaiian way, and I know for all my life, I'll wish I had a heart like yours
And I just want to say, how I love your true Hawaiian way

[Instrumental]

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Written For My Mom – Nona Beamer on her 76th Birthday, August 15, 2000